

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY PORT MORESBY  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3430  
INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK  
AMEMBASSY MANILA  
AMEMBASSY SUVA  
AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON  
USMISSION GENEVA  
DEA HQS WASHDC

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MANILA FOR S/A GREENE

BANGKOK FOR DEA

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SNAR, XP, PP  
SUBJECT: PROPOSAL FOR SOUTH PACIFIC REGIONAL  
NARCOTICS PROGRAM

REF: STATE 164036

1. EMBASSY WISHES ENDORSE CONCEPT OF SP REGIONAL NARCOTICS  
PROGRAM AND IS CERTAIN GPNG WOULD ENDORSE AND WISH TO  
PARTICIPATE. NEED FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION MADE VERY  
APPARENT TO PAPUA NEW GUINEANS WHEN THEY AND AUSTRALIANS  
RECENTLY UNCOVERED \$30 MILLION CACHE OF CANNIBUS WORKING  
COOPERATIVELY.

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2. WOULD HOPE TRAINING COULD INCLUDE NOT ONLY CUSTOMS BUT  
ALSO PNG ROYAL CONSTABULARY AND, PERHAPS, FOREIGN OFFICE REP  
COORDINATING ANTI-NARCOTICS ACTIVITIES AND TRAINING.

3. COST OF INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL WOULD POSE SERIOUS PROBLEM  
HERE, TOO. NOT ONLY ARE AIR FARES HIGHEST IN WORLD BUT  
PNG ALSO GREAT DISTANCE FROM NEW ZEALAND. WOULD HOPE

U.S. COULD ASSIST. GPNG COULD PICK UP PER DIEM IF  
PROGRAM SET UP SUFFICIENTLY IN ADVANCE FOR LOCAL AGENCIES  
TO INCLUDE IN TRAINING BUDGETS FOR NEXT YEAR.  
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